

In re Application of:

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Antero IRRI et al.

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MANIPULATING APPARATUS

FOR WORK PIECES

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 7, 2005 in which the examiner restricted the claims of the instant application, applicants elect the invention of Group II, i.e., claims 12-16 for prosecution in this case

Respectfully submitted,

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